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MEMORANDUM FOR: John H. Holdridge
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SUBJECT : Ji Chaozhu's Speech to the Harvard Club of Washington, DC

1. Ji gave me this copy of his May 26 speech when we were together last week at Harvard attending our 30th reunion. He used much of the same terminology when discussing Sino-American relations in Cambridge.

2. On pp 3-4, he gives the maximum Chinese case for ending US arms sales to Taiwan, though without a sense of crisis. Pages 4-8 contain a review of PRC-US economic prospects, concluding with a discussion of Chinese bureaucratic reform, and on page 9, a reference to US trade restrictions.

3. Pages 9-10 give Ji's views of his relationship with the US without departing from formulations I have heard him employ on this subject over 34 years.



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